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By Telegraph to The Times.

MINNEAPOLIS (Minn.), June 2.—[By the Associated Press.] All day the lobbies of the West Hotel have been thronged with Republican leaders of national reputation, and each has his strong personal candidate for the Presidency. Thus men of acknowledged political astuteness differ diametrically as to their predictions on the result of the convention, and while their preferences are generally divided between Harrison and Blaine, the Alabamian appears from time to time with the confident prediction that the Michigan man will ultimately come to the front. The Blaine and Harrison managers both arrived this morning, and the confidence with which the self-constituted Blaine boomers announced that he would accept the nomination if extended, and the calm assurance with which they are prosecuting the contest, have suddenly given seriousness to the Blaine movement, and politicians are directing their attention to an analysis of the probable vote of the various State delegations. In the matter of figures the Harrison managers point to States which have given instructions for the President and cite assurances of the support they claim to be daily receiving. The Blaineites give no details, but claim about everything in sight.

Hon. John C. New of Indiana is leading the Harrison people, and Hon. J. S. Clarkson, with fellow-workers in the persons of Hon. J. S. Slone, Passett, of New York, Hon. Henry C. Payne of Wisconsin, and others, while New's lieutenants are John K. Gowdy, chairman of the Indiana Republican State Committee; M. T. Lightner, a South Dakota delegate; Gen. L. T. Michener of Indiana, law partner of W. W. Dudley; ex-Senator John C. Spooner of Wisconsin, and a number of others. The Indianaans assert complete harmony in the delegation and that Harrison will receive the unanimous vote of Indiana. Gen. New is emphatic in the assertion that Blaine is not in the race. He said: "It would be an insult to Blaine's manhood and integrity to assume that he was trying to win the nomination." When he wrote his letter of declination, I am looking for an important opposition to Harrison's renomination. What little opposition there is cannot unite. We already have a majority of the delegates pledged, and will nominate on the first ballot."

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The Michigan delegation wants Alger for second place in the event of Blaine's nomination, and for first place in case Blaine declines.

The declaration of Chauncey M. Depew last night, that having always been a Blaine man he was entitled to receive an intimation of any intention on the part of Blaine to become a candidate, and having received no such intimation, that he had taken the letter to Clarkson as an intimation of his own nomination, is an intimation of much importance.

Clarkson's position was admitted by the assertion that, although Blaine is not a candidate, the party will nominate him and he will show obedience to his antagonist.

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BUSINESS.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES,
LOS ANGELES June 1, 1892.

There were few new features in the local markets today. Eggs were weaker and declined 1c. The remainder of the list showed few changes.

Money, Stocks and Bonds.

New York, June 2.—The stock market was more barren of features than for many weeks, the apathy seemingly having extended to the bear side. The general opinion was expressed that the narrowness and professional character of the market will only widen the reaction. The grain market is assured.

Reading, St. Paul and Burlington are still the leaders in activity. The close was fairly active and strong at the best figures of the day.

Receipts bonds were dull but steady.

New York, June 2.—**MONEY**.—On call, easy; closing offered at 1½ per cent.

PRIM MERCHANTIAL PAPER.—36¢.

STANLEY EXCHANGE.—Steady; 60-day bills, 4.87; demand, 4.83.

New York Stocks and Bonds.

In the quotations below, where two sets of figures appear, thus: "Central Pacific, 34½-34%", the first figures refer to the noon quotations and the last to the closing quotations.

NEW YORK, June 2.

Aitchison... 34-34½ North Am 13½-14

Am. Cott. Oil... 39½ Or. Nav.... 77-77½

Am. Express... 120 Or. Imp.... 75-75½

Can. Pacific... 88½ Or. S. 100-100½

Con. Southern... 88½ Pacific Palace... 100-100½

C. & G. 30½-30½ Pacific Coast... 75-75½

G. & S. 102 F. Mall... 34-34½

D. & R. G. 18½ G. W. 14-14½

D. & R. G. pfd 10½ G. W. 14-14½

Dimitlers... 26½ Hock 1. 77½-78

Illinoian... 112 P. & O. 104-104½

Kan & Tex... 14½ St. Paul... 77½

Lake Shore... 13½ Tex. Pac... 9-9½

Long Island... 21½ Tex. & P. 10-10½

Mich. Central... 107½ U. S. Exp... 55

Mo. Pac... 50½ U. S. 4's exp... 11½

N. Pac... 19½ U. S. 4's coup... 117

N. P. pfd 52½-52½ U. P... 39½

N. W. 84-104½ U. S. 4's... 54-54½

N. Y. 146-146½ U. S. 4's... 145

N. Y. C. 113-113 New York Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.

Aspen... 200 Horn Silver... 320

Best & Bel... 120 Homestake... 1300

Cal.-Va. 525 Mexican... 170

Deawood... 50 Opal... 270

Eureka... 350 Opal... 270

Hale & Nor... 25 Standard... 135

San Francisco Mining Stocks.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.

Belcher... 80 Peer... 10

Best & Bel... 50 Potosi... 75

Chollar... 150 Ophir... 290

Concordia... 385 Savage... 135

Gould & Cur... 110 Sierra Nevada... 110

Hale & Nor... 35 Union... 105

Locomotive... 5 Yellow Jacket... 55

Boston Stocks.

BOSTON, June 2.—CLOSING: Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, 84%; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, 102; Mexican Central, 19%; San Diego, 100; Bell Telephone, 208.

Bar Silver.

LONDON, June 1.—**BAR SILVER**.—40½d; consult 11-12.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—**BAR SILVER**.

80-80½@70.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—**MEXICAN DOLARS**.—63%@70.

GENERAL EASTERN MARKETS.

Grain.

CHICAGO, June 2.—Wheat was steady.

The market opened unchanged to 3c better, declined 3½c on reports of clearing weather west of the Mississippi River, salled 3½c on good buying and large export clearances; closed steady, 3c from the spot, 3c higher than yesterday.

Receipts were 76,000 bushels; shipments, 98,000 bushels.

Closing quotations: **WHEAT**—Steady; cash, 83%; July, 83%;

Aug., 83½-84%; Sept., 74%; July, 48%; Oct., 48%; cash, 81%; July, 31%; Aug., 75-75½.

BARLEY.—6000 bushels.

TIMOTHY.—1.90@1.84.

LINSEED, June 2.—WHEAT—Demand poor; No. 2 red winter, steady at 60½ id.; No. 2 red spring, steady at 68 id.

CORN.—Demand firm; spot firm at 55; June, firm at 104; July, firm at 107½ id.

FOOT.—100,000 bushels.

PEAS.—Hans 5.75@5.50 old roosters, 5.00; broilers, 2.75@2.50; ducks, 6.50@7.50; geese, 1.00@1.25; turkeys, 18c.

EGGS.—Fresh ranch, 20@21c.

Provisions.

HAM.—Local smoked, 14½c; Eastern sun cured, 13½c.

BACON.—Local smoked, 14c; Eastern breakfast, 13c; medium, 11c.

PORK.—Dry salt 94c.

DRINK BEEF HAMS.—13c.

MEAT.—Refined 9c; Special 10c; 10s@12c; 58½c@58½c; Suet 25c; higher all round; White Label, 10c; Helmet, White Label, 9½c; tierces, 10½c.

PRODUCE.

POTATOES.—New, 80c@80c.

PINK.—Pink, 2.50@2.75; Limas, 2.75@3.00; Navy, 2.50@2.75.

GREEN.—Green, 1.50@1.75.

FRESH VEGETABLES.—Cabbages, per 100 lbs., 75@1.00; tomatoes, 1.75@2.25 per box; beans, 60c.

FRUITS.

DRIED FAIRIES.—Apricots, bleached, 70@9c;

sundried, 50@7c; peaches, evaporated, unpeeled, 60@8c; peeled, 11@13c; prunes, loose in sacks, 70@10c; apples, evaporated, 60@8c.

GRANADINES.—Apples, 5.00@6.00 per box; bananas, 2.00@2.50 per bunch.

CITRUS FRUITS.—Riverside and mountain navel, 2.50@4.00 per box; lemons, cured, 2.50@4.00 per box.

RANGES.—Peaches, 1.50@1.75; Muscatel, 1.50@1.75 per box; Sulten seedless, 1.50@1.75 per box.

NUTS.—Walnuts, Los Nefios, 70@90c; Los Angeles, 60@80c; almonds, soft shell, 15@16c; paper shell, 18@21c; hazel shell, 8@10c.

MILK.—Local, 10c@12c.

MEAT.—Bacon, 10c@12c.

EGG.—Fresh, 10c@12c.

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The authorities of Australia deserve a set of gold medals. Their promptness in ridding the world of Deeming has been heightened by their determination to spare the world columns of morbid "rot" by burning all the wretched papers.

The editor of the Covina Argus offers the editor of the Azusa Pomotropic an opportunity to settle their newspaper dispute by arbitration, footrace or fight. There must be a good deal of caloric in the atmosphere at the upper end of the San Gabriel Valley nowadays.

The county of Orange has just enjoyed the distinction of paying handsomely for a glass of beer. A saloon-keeper named Bolz, of Anaheim Landing, was prosecuted for selling a glass of beer to a minor, and a pretty straight case was made out. But Bolz proved that he sold the beverage to somebody else, who gave it to the boy. His attorney set up the plea that, in any event, it could not be proven that this particular glass of beer was intoxicating. On the strength of this showing a jury of nine citizens rendered a verdict of not guilty. It is a question which was the weaker, the plea, the beer or the jury.

All speculations regarding the Republican nomination at Minneapolis, Mr. Blaine's name continues to occupy first place. Some indication of the feeling in New York may be gleaned from this statement of Hon. J. Sloat Bassett, in the Albany Evening Journal Rep.:

Mr. Blaine is far and away the first choice of the Republican party. There is a growing feeling of rebellion against accepting his letter to Clarkson as final. Now, if he party sees success solely under his banner, and demands of him once more to assume leadership, he need not, and may, no doubt, of his health being excellent, be ought to yield his personal preference to the wishes of his party. This much is sure, that with Blaine we can carry New York with a rush. With any one else we must fight hard, very hard.

GENERAL satisfaction is felt by people on the Pacific Coast at the return of Lieut. John P. Finley, U.S.A., to resume charge of the Weather Bureau, Division of the Pacific. Under his superintendence the reports are carefully prepared, the observations are accurate and the predictions are fairly verified. Several new features have been added recently to the daily weather charts, which puts into the hands of the public the general principles used by the Department in making forecasts. Lieut. Finley has made a fine reputation as a practical meteorologist, and his studies regarding the tornado have given him international reputation.

Mrs. VICTORIA C. WOODHULL, who is working her Presidential campaign mainly through a literary bureau established at Chicago, has the rare faculty of combining in her published utterances a good deal of Woodhull and a little politics, religion, woman suffrage, social ethics and the discussion of sexual relations and procreation with that abandon which is ordinarily to be found only in addresses "to men only" or "to women only." It is a very fetching programme, and calculated to run the whole gamut of human motives, passions and mistakes. She is somewhat efficient on the subjects of tariff, reciprocity, free coinage and domestic and foreign policy generally; but that is a blessed relief from the general trend of political discussion. If Vic did not feel impelled to go into the musty past as far back as 1871 and dig up all those old press notices about herself there would be more freshness in her campaign; but there are doubtless many people who think it is fresh enough as it stands. If Mr. John Bidulph Martin, the English gentleman who holds the job of being Vic's husband, could only be naturalized in time it is quite likely that she would have a sure thing on one vote.

The McKinley law and reciprocity are pretty nearly making the campaign for the Republican party. The solid arguments which they present to the country are more convincing than any number of campaign speeches based on glittering generalities. For the past three months there has been a falling off in imports to the extent of \$8,000,000, but the falling off in tin-plate alone was \$18,000,000, because of the tremendous imports a year ago in anticipation of the new duty. But it is in the increase of exports of domestic manufactures that the good effects of the law are most apparent. There has been an increase for the nine months of \$120,000,000. For this credit must be given the reciprocity clause of the law, which has received such bitter condemnation from Democratic and other free trade sources. The long and short of it is that for the past nine months, under the operation of the McKinley tariff and reciprocity, the balance of trade in merchandise has been in favor of this country to the amount of \$12,000,000. The country can stand this and a good deal more of it, and there will be a good deal more of it if the Republicans continue in control of the administration.

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With a campaign thus inaugurated and carried out it need not make much difference whether Cleveland or Hill or Carlisle is nominated. The campaign minstrel show would present any one of them in a pleasant light, and the country could laugh and grow fat on politics. Then there would be no three-cornered questions as to whether Cleveland suits the free-silver ideas of the South and West or the protective ideas of New England; whether Hill is a Tammany figure-head or Carlisle a freethinker.

The resolutions recite the California quarantine on Eastern nurseryman's stock, and stating that the association is resolved in case this is not raised to exert all its influence to get stricter inspection laws passed by legislatures of the Middle and Eastern states.

A Tramp Steamer in Trouble.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—The signal service observer at Point Reyes, about twelve miles up the coast, reported that the German tramp steamer Romulus, which left here today for Departure Bay, is anchored a mile offshore in distress.

Immediately on receipt of the news here a number of tugs went to her assistance. In the meantime, the steam schooner Point Loma got a line to the Romulus and hauled her out of danger. It is not yet known what is the trouble with the Romulus.

Thoroughbreds Sold.

New York, June 2.—Forty-seven thoroughbreds were sold at Tattersall's tonight, the sales aggregating \$52,100.

In the eyes of a purist, the use of the word "the" before the Spanish article *el, la, los or las* is incorrect.

repetition of the word "the," no matter what the language employed, must be tautology in a strict sense. But custom seems to sanction the use of the English article in connection with the Spanish form when the latter is crystallized and its primary meaning is lost sight of in a proper name. We employ this "poetic license" in the name of this paper, *The Los Angeles Times*.

AMUSEMENTS.

AT THE PLAYHOUSES.

GRAND OPERAHOUSE.—One of Charles Frohman's admirable companies presented *Jane*, a comedy-farce in three acts, by Harry Nichols and W. Lester, for the first time in this city last night to a large and appreciative audience.

The performance commenced with a comedy in one act, entitled *Chums*, by Fred Frost, one of the New York City police girls, which was excellently interpreted by Paul Arthur, Herbert Portier and the Misses Katherine Grey and Lisette Le Baron.

It is unusually bright, treats of a number of complications, while the wit of which as a dialogue is clever, the combination as a whole is one of the best of its kind that has ever been seen here.

Jane is a cleverly constructed comedy, saucering somewhat of the plot of *Lovely Me*. The *Times*, which appeared here in Roland, sometime ago, but though not quite so refined, it is much funnier.

The title role is sustained by Miss Johnson Bennett, who has made an interesting career in the part, which is that of a smart housewife who temporarily assumed the rôle of her master's wife in order to help him out of a financial scrape.

Mr. Charles Shakespear, the master, is played by Paul Arthur, with a vivacity and dash that are well sustained.

Mr. Octon's rendition of "William," the valet, who is secretly married to "Jane," is one of the best features of the play; but the "Mrs. Chadwick" of Miss Fisher, the "Pinto" of Miss Leyden, the "Gentle Edith," and the "Grande" of Master Joseph Toates, are each finished articles.

The "Mr. Kershaw" of M. C. Daly, must be seen to be appreciated.

Jane will be repeated for the rest of the week.

It will be followed on Monday next by Carroll Johnson, California's favorite minstrel, who has abandoned the dusky mask for comedy of a higher class, in *The Gossos*, a new scenic comedy by E. E. Kidder, the author of *The Poor Relation*.

With the closing of the *Times* the gathering of the hall's ornamentation, as became so patriotic a body. The assembly met at 10:30 o'clock and before it was called to order was addressed by Marcus Bernheim, chairman of the local Committee on Arrangements, who, in well-chosen words, welcomed the delegates and introduced Rev. H. A. Steinson, who invoked the divine blessing upon the gathering and work.

Without wasting time the convention elected Gov. E. S. Stanford of St. Louis as temporary presiding officer. On taking the chair ex-Gov. Stanford returned thanks for the honor conferred, not only on himself by his election, but upon St. Louis by the selection of this city as the point of assembly. He referred to the advantages gained by saving of time and distance if the canal be constructed, and closed with a repetition of his thanks.

D. H. McAdams and J. C. Broadwell were elected secretaries. The usual committees, one for each State, on Credentials, Permanent Organization and Resolutions were ordered appointed.

Then Gov. D. R. Francis of Missouri welcomed the delegates to the State and to the scene of the first national gathering in the history of a shorter route to the ports of the Pacific.

Referring to the object of the gathering, he declared that the feasibility of the canal's construction having been determined the only question remaining was that of control. That was settled by the Monroe doctrine, enunciated seventy years ago.

As to the Government guarantee, he declared that the commercial interests of the Union should be the actuating influence. The old cry that every application for Government endorsement was actuated by sordid motives would scarcely be compatible with the intelligence and patriotism of a representative body such as the one now assembled.

HON. M. M. ESTEE'S ADDRESS.

At the close of Gov. Francis' address Hon. M. M. Estee of California was called upon and explained the purposes and objects of the gathering, which had its inception in his State. He said:

"Gentlemen: On the 20th of March, 1802, the San Francisco Convention was numerously attended. It voted that the western part of the West by adopting a resolution calling this convention to meet here today and requesting the Governor of the various States to appoint delegates thereto.

"The members of the Iron Hall are to make a political issue in the coming campaign in New Hampshire, and fraternal organizations will be invited to join them in an effort to secure the election to the Legislature of Representatives who are friendly to endowment orders.

Two of the Indiana delegates to Minnesota are reported to be here. This is

what may be called poaching upon the President's preserves. By way of getting even Mr. Harrison ought to hustle around and capture two of the delegates from Maine. His faith in miracles may lead him to adopt that plan of reprisal.

On the other hand, if the injunction from headquarters could be modified so as to read "Say nothing and save wood." But the weather is getting warm, and there must necessarily be a call to the wood pile. At Needles, for example, there are several reasons why the suggestion of "saving wood" should not be at all acceptable.

At Washington most of the Democratic leaders are able to hire somebody to saw their wood; sometimes they get their constituency at home to do it.

But sawing wood is at best not a congenial Democratic pursuit.

On the other hand, if the injunction from headquarters could be modified so as to read "Say nothing and give minstrel shows," what a pleasant and profitable field it would open up for the talent of the party! The idea in itself is entertaining. Then the leaders in the House of Representatives could carry out their policy of saying nothing in the easiest way by publishing in the Congressional Record as their speeches (undelivered) the books of George and Bellamy, and the constituency throughout the country could find congenial and profitable occupation in burnt cork.

How much better and more convincing this would be than so much lying about the tins plate industry and the McKinley tariff and reciprocity, and so much humbugging about the silver cause, and so many sham protestations about reform and saving the country. All of these issues, in which the Democrats have made a regular mess of things the more they have attempted to discuss them, could be relegated to the limbo of innocuous desuetude, and for the revamped jokes and playful antics of the Democratic minstrel stage there would be no back-action. No lying, no pretense, no blundering, no crawling—nothing but innocent and side-splitting mirth between the end men and the interlocutor, interspersed with melody and dancing.

We have no hesitation, notwithstanding the fact that *The Times* is a Republican paper, in commanding this plan to the earnest consideration of the Democratic managers. It possesses so many points of merit that we believe a mere prejudice as to its origin ought not to have any weight.

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Then there would be no three-cornered questions as to whether Cleveland suits the free-silver ideas of the South and West or the protective ideas of New England; whether Hill is a Tammany figure-head or Carlisle a freethinker.

The resolutions recite the California quarantine on Eastern nurseryman's stock, and stating that the association

is resolved in case this is not raised to exert all its influence to get stricter inspection laws passed by legislatures of the Middle and Eastern states.

A Tramp Steamer in Trouble.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—[To the Editor of THE TIMES.] Will you oblige me by giving your opinion as to whether it is better to say "the Los Gatos" or "Los Gatos" (the cats) submerged and lost in the name of the place rendering the use of "the" admisible?

G. A. Dodge.

[In the eyes of a purist, the use of the word "the" before the Spanish article *el, la, los or las* is incorrect.

THE CANAL CONVENTION.

The Great Gathering at St. Louis Gets to Work.

Claims of the Enterprise Presented by Hon. M. M. Estee.

Hon. Warner Miller also Delivers a Forceful Address.

Completion of the Canal and its Control by the Government the Objects for Watch the Convention Will Labor.

By Telegraph to The Times.

St. Louis, June 2.—[By the Associated Press.] Quietly, as became representatives of the country's commercial interests, the delegates from twenty-five or more States and various commercial bodies of the Union, gathered this morning in the entertainment hall of the Exposition building to open the session of the Nicaragua Canal Convention, inaugurated by the business men of California.

The Stars and Stripes were used to relieve the severity of the hall's ornamentation, as became so patriotic a body.

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Los Angeles Takes Another Game from Oakland.

Some Terrific Batting on Both Sides—The San Franciscans Defeat the Dukes by a Score of 7 to 6—Eastern Baseball Games.

By Telegraph to The Times.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—[By the Associated Press.] Miss Ida Creagan, a Census Bureau clerk, stated before the House Investigating Committee today that for the first two months of her employment she paid Miss Conover, a relative of Chief Clerk Childs, \$12.50 a month out of her salary of \$50, to Miss Conover said she would endeavor to get Miss Creagan retained. The witness has been reappointed and is not paying commissions now. Miss Conover returned the money to the witness afterwards at the instance of Assistant Secretary Chandler's private secretary.

George M. Miller and E. L. Kerr, section clerks in the Census office, denied the charges made against them yesterday of undue familiarity with women clerks in the office.

FIFTY-SECOND CONGRESS. FIRST SESSION.

WASHINGTON, June 2.—[By the Associated Press.] SENATE.—On motion of Mr. Allison the Senate agreed to adjourn from today till Monday. Notice was given by Mr. Vest of his intention to address the Senate on the wool tariff and by Mr. Morgan of his intention to speak on the free coinage of silver on Tuesday.

Mr. Turp's resolution calling for the correspondence with Hayti, Columbia and Venezuela regarding reciprocity was adopted.

CRIME AND CRIMINALS.

Facts About the Sacramento Chinese Fight.

Chief Glass in Receipt of a Letter Giving Information.

Reze, the Burglar, Held to Answer in \$10,000 Bail.

No Steps Yet Taken Toward the Punishment of the Men guilty of Raining Young Girls—Another Burglar Located.

A few days ago a desperate fight took place between Chinese bighinders in Sacramento, and seven Chinamen who took part in the shooting were arrested and are now confined in the County Jail at that place.

The police were on the grounds before the shooting was over. They found two dead Chinamen, but a search through the dens of Chinatown failed to show that out of the several hundred shots fired any one else had been hit. The officers of Sacramento will average up with any force in the State except the department of Los Angeles, which leads all west of the Missouri River, and yet they were foiled by the almoned-eyed heathens.

Chief Glass of this city learned in a most singular manner that there were three Chinamen killed outright in the fight and sixteen seriously wounded. Not only that, but a white boy who happened to be in the vicinity when the shooting occurred was seriously wounded.

The Chinamen got ahead of the officers by concealing the body of one of the dead men, and before the police got down to business the white boy and the sixteen wounded Chinamen were concealed so effectually that they have not yet been located.

Chief Glass was made acquainted with these facts yesterday morning by Charley Quong of the city who received an official letter from a member of his company in Sacramento who was in the fight. The letter to Quong gives full particulars of the fight and shows how easily it is for Chinamen to fool white officers when they wish to do so.

The oldest Chinatown officers never become acquainted with the numerous dens and holes in the ground that infest every Chinatown on the Coast. Murders are committed almost weekly and the murderers are not brought to justice for the reason that the officers cannot find the murderers or even the bodies of their victims.

In the Sacramento fight a dozen officers were on the ground seconds before the last shot was fired and yet they did not catch enough to be sure and wounded beings spirited away by the two factions. There is no telling how many of the wounded heathen have died since then, but it is safe to say that the authorities will never know anything of what has become of the bodies. Had the officers been a couple of minutes later they would not have found the two bodies and it would have been given out that no one was killed on account of the poor marksmanship of the bighinders.

Chinamen are not such poor shots as they are believed to be, and whenever a shooting scrap takes place it is safe to put it down that some poor heathen has passed over the dark river.

NOT YET ARRESTED.

McDermott and Green Have Not Yet Been Taken Into Custody.

The frightful depravity developed in the examination of the young girl Edna Percival, before Judge Smith Wednesday, has caused a great deal of comment and public indignation is running high against the hardened wretches who coolly confessed in open court to their criminal intimacy with children who are not yet out of short dresses. Contrary to expectations, no complaints were issued yesterday for the arrest of either McDermott or Green, and no steps have been taken by the parents of either the girl Maud Stone or May McCroy. Officer Wright is still busy getting evidence together, but whether he will be able to do anything without the assistance and cooperation of the parents of the children, who have been wronged, remains to be seen. The officers say that they will do all they can to bring the men to justice, and it is certain that if they can ever be got before a jury their conviction will follow.

In regard to the disreputable resort kept by old "Mother Brown," there is some doubt among the officers as to the best means of breaking it up. The place is situated on the outskirts of the city, on the East Side, and is one of the worst of its kind that was ever allowed to continue in any community. The woman who conducts the place owns the property, and as it is outside the city limits the police have no jurisdiction in the case, and it will have to be attended to by the Sheriff's office. It is very much worse than the old Elm Cottage, formerly conducted by the McDermonds, out on Jefferson street, and which caused so much scandal for a number of months. Sheriff Aguirre, however, broke this resort up, and "Mother Brown's" sink of iniquity can also be compelled to close its doors if the Board of Supervisors and Sheriff Gibson will only set about it.

It is just possible that there may be something done today looking to the punishment of Green and McDermott.

LOUIS REZE.

The Young Burglar Appears in the Police Court.

Yesterday afternoon Louis Reze, the boy burglar who assumed himself by entering ten houses in as many nights, just before he was captured by Detectives Benson, Bouqui and Auble last Monday, was before Police Justice Owens yesterday. The candle burglar entered a plea of not guilty in two cases and will be examined in the first tomorrow and the second next Tuesday. The Court fixed the bail at \$8,000 in each case and as the fellow could not give it, he was sent to the murderer's cell for safe keeping.

The detectives have learned to a certainty during the past few days that Reze had a pal who assisted him in each burglary. This pal is supposed to be his brother, and as he has a mistress in this city it is almost a foregone conclusion that he will be captured before the courts are through with his brother, who can be tried on ten separate and distinct cases, if necessary.

The brothers have another brother in the East, who has been in correspondence with them since they came to town. He has mailed some of his letters now in the hands of the police. They are the most singular pair of burglars that ever operated in this city and their new system of going through houses put the detectives of the track

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While Mason was quite handy with his tongue, he kept his voice under control, and the case against him was dismissed, as he was allowed to make his defense. The officers are determined to make orderly places of the low saloons in the tough quarters of the city, even if they have to arrest every person who talks above a loud stage whisper. It is disgraceful the way things are carried on in the second and third-rate saloons of this city.

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Brief addresses were made by Rev. Messrs. O. D. Crawford, F. M. Price and S. Bristol, who discussed respectfully the need, the attainment, and the possession of spiritual power.

Rev. J. W. Campbell was called for and spoke with much feeling, giving thanks for the great degree of harmony now existing between the different denominations, and referring in a touching manner to the change wrought in church relations in this city during the late meetings conducted by Mr. Mills.

After the church services the audience joined in singing "Blest be the tie that binds," after which some informal discussion was indulged in and a number of resolutions were adopted.

Among others was a resolution requesting the State Legislature to pass some law making one day in seven a legal resting day; also the following in regard to the matter of divorces:

WHENAS, we recognize the frequency of divorce and remarrying of divorced persons, while the persons from whom they were divorced are still to be one of the greatest dangers now menacing society; therefore, be it

MESSED, that it is the sense of this association that ministers of this denomination do not perform the marriage ceremony in which the parties to be married have been divorced while the persons from whom they were divorced are still living, except when the divorce was granted the Christian grounds as laid down in Matthew's gospel.

A resolution was also adopted thanking the church and community of East Los Angeles for its generous hospitality and kind entertainment, and the railroad companies and public press for courtesies extended.

EVENING SERVICE.

It had been announced that the evening would be devoted to the young people, and there was present at 7:30 o'clock a large representation from the various endeavor societies, also from the local companies of the Boys' Brigade, under the command of their respective captains. A number of interesting one-minute reports from societies were received, after which the aims and workings of the Boys' Brigades were explained by Capt. Wilbur of the First Church company.

The various phases of Christian Endeavor work were then taken up and handled briefly by Rev. F. W. Merriam, Rev. F. J. Culver and others. Rev. H. D. Wyard also made a few pleasant remarks and told a few stories apropos of some good advice to the boys and young people generally, after which a hymn was sung and the association adjourned with the benediction.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Meeting of the Directors—Short of Funds.

The Librarian's Report.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of directors of the Public Library was held yesterday at 4 p.m., there being present Directors Davies, Howard, Severance and Smith. Bills to the amount of \$1,085.90 were presented and approved, but owing to lack of funds payment was postponed until the further action of the Council.

The librarian, Miss Kelso, reported that the circulation of books for the month of May was 28,562. The reference department had been used by 1,791 students and 791 books had been distributed through the schools. Three hundred and thirteen new members were added during the month, making a total of 8,096 cards in use. There were donated 418 books.

It was resolved to hold an examination for the admission of pupils to the library training class during the second

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THE CONGREGATIONALISTS.

Closing Sessions of the Southern California Association.

Strong Resolution Adopted Against the Remarrying of Divorced People—Papers and Addresses—Young People's Meeting.

The sixth annual meeting of the General Congregational Association of Southern California, which has been in session at the East Los Angeles Church for the past three days, closed last evening. The session has been characterized throughout by the utmost unanimity on the part of the delegates and other members of the association. Much credit is likewise due to the ladies of the East Side Church, who not only entertained the visitors at their homes, but also served excellent dinners and suppers to all the guests, more than 750 meals being furnished and a large amount of expense being thereby saved the delegates.

At the beginning of the session yesterday morning it was noted that Rev. J. W. Campbell, pastor of the First Methodist Church of this city was present as an interested spectator, and he was invited to sit as an honorary member.

The subject of "Our Sunday-school Work" was then taken up and ably discussed by Rev. J. H. Collins, pastor of the Third Church of Christ, Scientist, and also by Rev. H. P. Case, superintendent of Sunday-school work for Southern California, in connection with his regular annual report.

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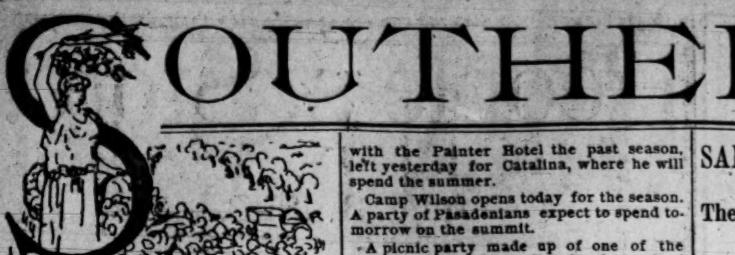
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PASADENA.

Points About the New Throop University Building.

It Will Be an Imposing Structure and Well Equipped.

The Bankers Will Take a Turn at Baseball Tomorrow.

The School Election Draws on Appear a Little, If We Cannot Save Much—Personal Notes and Brevities.

Plans have been accepted for the building that is to be erected this summer by Throop University on the east corner of Hill and Oak avenues and Chestnut street, where it is to be located the industrial department of this institution. Mr. T. W. Parkes is the architect and the building when completed will be a model of convenience and architectural beauty.

The structure will be an imposing one, two stories high, with a frontage of 140 feet on Fair Oaks avenue and a depth of 80 feet on Chestnut street. The framework will be veneered with brick giving to it a most substantial appearance. Opening off the main entrance will be a small office.

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Camp Wilson opens today for the season. A party of Pasadenaans expect to spend to-morrow on the summit.

A picnic party made up of one of the classes of the Sunday school prepared yesterday at Devil's Gate.

Mr. John L. Cole will give a afternoon reception tomorrow afternoon. A number of invitations have been sent out.

The Knights of the Maccabees are arranging for a public entertainment to be given at their hall next Friday evening.

A meeting of the Shakespeare Club will be held at the home of Mrs. C. W. Brown on Orange Grove avenue.

Rev. F. Fay Mill paid a visit to Pasadena yesterday. Mr. Mill's family have made this their headquarters for several weeks past.

It is probable that some of the younger tennis players of town will enter the big tournaments at Redondo and Santa Monica this summer.

Special services will be held at the First Congregational Church at 3:30 o'clock yesterday and at 7:30 p.m. The public is cordially invited.

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POMONA.

The Result of the Orange Crop Better than Was Anticipated.

An Exciting Prize-fight Wednesday Evening—The Local Champion Wins—Bids for School Building—Briefs and Locals.

At last the local shippers are through shipping oranges, and while the shipments have not been so large as in previous years, the oranges have been in quality, especially the last shipments, unusually fine. The number of carloads shipped this season has amounted to but little over half of the number of last season, but the shippers generally have realized good prices. While the report is not as good as it might be, and while we like to report an improvement over last year, still everyone knows that the amount and quality is far from the expectations of the orange grower just after the cold snap came upon us. Then we have fine prospects for a most flattering crop next season, and let us hope it will be as far above the average as the last crop was below.

EXCITING PRIZE-FIGHT.

There was an exciting prize-fight at the Fashion Stables in this city on Wednesday night, between the local champion, "Black Diamond" and "Black Diamond." The fight was for the receipts (\$100), and was won by the local champion in nineteen rounds of two minutes each. After the contest "Black Diamond" was so badly used up that it took about three minutes to bring him around to his right sides, but hardly yesterday he was not considered dangerous but sturdy.

POMONA BREVIETIES.

E. Waite has shipped 2000 pounds of apricots within the last week.

C. T. Smith, left yesterday for Tucson, Ariz., and will probably not return.

Judge C. W. C. Howell is down with the malarial fever and is in a very precarious condition.

J. Adams left yesterday via the Southern Pacific and San Francisco, for Chicago, where he will take up his residence.

Miss Adeline Lovejoy, who has been visiting friends in this city, departed yesterday for her home at Nashville, Tenn., via the Southern Pacific.

The G. D. Allen and Courier baseball nines will play a match game tomorrow on the new ground at the corner of D and Franklin, this city.

A fine crowd will be given this evening at the opera-house by Mrs. R. M. Lancaster.

Some of the best talent, not only of this but of neighboring towns, will participate.

Rev. F. Fay Mills finished his services at the Pavilion on Wednesday evening, but the resident pastor still continues the revival services. The large enthusiasm still continues, but the effect is not yet clearly seen.

Some of the vitrified brick pavement on E street opposite the Stewart was taken up in order to put down a water pipe for a meat market. Yesterday when the laborer was at work it became stopped by an officer who claimed that he was breaking it properly.

The laborer was pretty drunk and the constable has as yet been unable to collect the same. Now Meherin, the assignee of the owner of the wharf, sue's the constable for the money he ought to have on hand and has not.

\$7,000 thereto." As Mr. Crossman retains the present crop of oranges, it will be worth \$2000, the grove brought an equal amount as it stands.

John A. Allen started yesterday on a business visit to Stockton and San Francisco.

E. Baird and wife have started for Chicago to spend the heated term. They will return next fall.

But eight arrests were made in Riverside during the month of May. Three of these were common drunks.

O. P. Johnson arrived on Wednesday from the East, where he has been at the deathbed of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schreurem of St. Louis are in the city for a visit of several days with Mrs. George Foye.

Mrs. B. McOran started yesterday to join her mother, Mrs. A. L. Harrison, who is ill at the Hotel Villa.

Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Blise started yesterday for a visit of several months at Water-town, N. Y., and other points East.

SAN BERNARDINO.

Wednesday evening Messrs. Cleghorn and Kier were installed into the second degree at the electric meeting, N.S.G.W. It was also decided, and the Entertainment Committee so instructed, to assemble and revivify the order of Native Daughters in this city.

The election of officers resulted in the election of the following for the ensuing term: I. H. Curtis, past president; Emery B. Tyler, president; Albert Burcham, first vice-president; Thomas Starke, second vice-president; A. H. Starkie, third vice-president; W. D. Wagner, recording secretary; W. D. Magee, financial secretary; Will Wozencraft, marshal; E. E. Kader, trustee; Martin O'Meara, historian.

A table was then spread for the local and visiting parlers, and for a half hour no sale of any kind was made.

A foreign bill-poster made an onslaught yesterday on Coyle's territory and was routed with ignominious slaughter.

He didn't know that Dave is an adept in the noble art of boxing.

George A. Richardson will celebrate the opening of his handsome new carriage repository and stable on Main street, giving friends a reception there tomorrow evening. Refreshments will be served and everybody is invited.

A number of fine navel orange trees were brought up yesterday from the county fair over the mountain road to be added to the World's Fair exhibit, which is already assuming mammoth proportions in the rear of the Park nursery.

Photographer W. H. Hill will leave for New York city about June 10 via Denver and Chicago. He will stay at the hot weathered Astbury Park Hotel, where he owns a summer cottage. He expects to return to Pasadena after the summer.

If we can not save a few thousand dollars in the running of the schools, let a stab be made at saving a few hundred. The taxpayers of this community will be well pleased if every man would cut down his current expenses \$25 a month because he couldn't cut them down double or treble that amount. "The saving would be little," but in the end it might become "Oh, my!"

POMONA.

The Result of the Orange Crop Better than Was Anticipated.

An Exciting Prize-fight Wednesday Evening—The Local Champion Wins—Bids for School Building—Briefs and Locals.

At last the local shippers are through shipping oranges, and while the shipments have not been so large as in previous years, the oranges have been in quality, especially the last shipments, unusually fine. The number of carloads shipped this season has amounted to but little over half of the number of last season, but the shippers generally have realized good prices.

While the report is not as good as it might be, and while we like to report an improvement over last year, still everyone knows that the amount and quality is far from the expectations of the orange grower just after the cold snap came upon us. Then we have fine prospects for a most flattering crop next season, and let us hope it will be as far above the average as the last crop was below.

EXCITING PRIZE-FIGHT.

There was an exciting prize-fight at the Fashion Stables in this city on Wednesday night, between the local champion, "Black Diamond" and "Black Diamond." The fight was for the receipts (\$100), and was won by the local champion in nineteen rounds of two minutes each. After the contest "Black Diamond" was so badly used up that it took about three minutes to bring him around to his right sides, but hardly yesterday he was not considered dangerous but sturdy.

POMONA BREVIETIES.

E. Waite has shipped 2000 pounds of apricots within the last week.

C. T. Smith left yesterday for Tucson, Ariz., and will probably not return.

Judge C. W. C. Howell is down with the malarial fever and is in a very precarious condition.

J. Adams left yesterday via the Southern Pacific and San Francisco, for Chicago, where he will take up his residence.

Miss Adeline Lovejoy, who has been visiting friends in this city, departed yesterday for her home at Nashville, Tenn., via the Southern Pacific.

The G. D. Allen and Courier baseball nines will play a match game tomorrow on the new ground at the corner of D and Franklin, this city.

A fine crowd will be given this evening at the opera-house by Mrs. R. M. Lancaster.

Some of the best talent, not only of this but of neighboring towns, will participate.

Rev. F. Fay Mills finished his services at the Pavilion on Wednesday evening, but the resident pastor still continues the revival services. The large enthusiasm still continues, but the effect is not yet clearly seen.

Some of the vitrified brick pavement on E street opposite the Stewart was taken up in order to put down a water pipe for a meat market. Yesterday when the laborer was at work it became stopped by an officer who claimed that he was breaking it properly.

The laborer was pretty drunk and the constable has as yet been unable to collect the same. Now Meherin, the assignee of the owner of the wharf, sue's the constable for the money he ought to have on hand and has not.

HEIGHT KITES WILL REACH.

If More Than One is Used They Will go Higher in the Sky.

(Pittsburgh Dispatch.)

The actual height of the kites above the earth is difficult to measure, because they cannot float along in the air like birds, and when they do, it is hard to tell exactly how high they are.

When a kite is flying at a height of 1800 feet, it has reached about a high point as is possible without the assistance of other kites. Such a kite will seem to have reached an altitude of half a mile; yet a careful measurement of the string and its steepness will show that the kite is not over one-third of a mile above the ground. Ordinarily the kite will go no higher, even if more string is let out, because the wind presses against the great length of the kite with increasing force as the speed increases.

It is more than one kite can be used, remarkable heights are attainable. The kites can fly fast along a single string, but the method required is quick.

The motor company has been making extensive improvements in the road, and a new time table between here and San Bernardino goes into effect Sunday.

The Pacific Coast railway is visiting for several months with his mother, Mrs. S. D. Randall, Bowler avenue, will start on Tuesday for his home at Cleveland, O., going via the Ogden route with a Phillips excursion.

There will be a special election next Tuesday for a vote of the people of San Bernardino for a new school building.

The police force has been considerably increased.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lee, who were married a week ago at this place, left for their home in Prescott, Ariz., yesterday.

Hensler Bros. received a carload of iron pipe yesterday from Pittsburgh over the Southern Pacific.

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NEWS AND BUSINESS

The Weather.

U. S. WEATHER OFFICE, LOS ANGELES, June 2, 1892.—At 5:07 a.m. the barometer registered 29.90; at 5:07 p.m. 29.85. Thermometer for corresponding hours showed 56° and 70°, and the relative humidity 100 and 64. Direction of wind, east and west, and velocity of wind for the hours given, 2 and 9 miles per hour, respectively. Maximum temperature, 78°; minimum temperature, 54°. Characters of weather, foggy and cloudless.

SAN FRANCISCO, June 2.—Weather indications for Southern California: Fair, with light rains in the mountains on Friday; southwest to northwest winds, fresh to brisk, cooler, except stationary temperature at San Diego.

Among the suits filed yesterday was one by Mrs. Adele Miles against Mrs. A. Robinson and Abbott Robinson for \$5000 damages for alleged defamation of character. The complaint states that on or about the 15th day of May, 1891, at Santa Monica, Mrs. Miles, then a widow, was visited with Miss Potter, in the presence and in the hearing of many persons, falsely and maliciously said that Mrs. Miles had inhumanely and wilfully whipped and beat her little child with a buggy whip, marking and scarring her in a horrible manner, thereby accusing the plaintiff of cruelty to children.

Charles S. Gilbert has brought suit against the Bituminous Limerock Company for \$603.33, for services rendered. Mr. Gilbert alleges that he spoke to the property-owners on Figueroa street to petition the Council to have that thoroughfare paved with bituminous limerock. The petition went through, the company got the contract, the work was done, and now Mr. Gilbert wants his money, which apparently the limerock people have declined to pay.

The monthly report of the Los Angeles Health Department shows that during the month of May there were eight deaths from consumption, all citizens, with an annual rate of 14.77 per thousand population. Of this number there were nine cases of consumption, only one of which originated here. There were also eleven deaths from diseases of the heart, the victims in this case being mostly men, and from consumption, being principally strangers. The report shows also that during the same period there were eighty-nine births.

At a regular meeting of John A. Logan Post, No. 130, G.A.R., Wednesday evening, June 1, a vote of thanks was tendered to the following persons for their services in assisting the Post in the memorial services: Ex-Gov. L. A. Sheldon, Maj. George W. Merrill, Dr. B. F. Kierlaff, Miss Eleanor Joy and her class of school children, Master Freddie Reardon, Dr. C. H. Smith and Co., and bugle corps, and Mrs. C. C. Cutler.

A beautiful, well-lighted and well-furnished front office room, with fire-proof vault, in basement of the Times building, for rent. Separate entrance on First street. Admirably suited for an insurance and loan business of other firms.

On the King Street, between two crossings Sunday afternoons, making a complete circuit. Trains leave the Santa Fe depot, foot of First street at 8:30 and 11 o'clock a.m., stopping at Santa Anita for Wilson's Peak, Arrowhead Springs and Hotel.

The Swedish Baptist Church on Eighth street, between Hope and Flower, will be formally dedicated Saturday, June 12. There will be special music and prominent pastors of the various Baptist churches in the city will be present.

The pavement on Figueroa street has been accepted and the Street Superintendent will notify the railroad company to proceed with their part of the work, paving between their tracks and for two feet on either side.

The Street Superintendent will at once proceed in regular form in the matter of the delinquent assessments for the opening of Broadway, except in such cases in which he is involved. The sale will probably take place on the 14th.

Five elegant trains to Redondo Beach over the Southern California Railway Co. (Santa Fe route) on Sunday, 9 o'clock, 10 and 10:55, a.m.; 1:30 and 3:05 p.m. Only 50 cents for the round trip, Saturday and Sunday.

Stamp collectors, attention! A. L. Rich is breaking up his collection, and those desiring rare specimens will do well to call and see him at Germain's drugstore, evenings after 7 p.m., No. 123 S. Spring street.

Prof. L. Marc Christol, the light-weight wrestler, has been engaged at the beach, giving swimming instruction, at the sameatorium for the current season and will assume his new duties tomorrow morning.

F. B. Prussia has resigned his position as manager of Hotel Redondo to accept a better opening at the University Club in San Francisco. Mr. and Mrs. Prussia leave for the North next Friday.

San Diego and Hotel del Coronado round trip via Santa Fe route for \$5. Saturday and Sunday, good returning Monday. Trains leave at 8:15 a.m. and 3:05 p.m.

Why is the Grand View Hotel, Catalina, so popular? Because everything is first-class and reasonable. Musical chairs, piano and harp, come to guess.

Gas stoves with atmospheric burners. Seventy-five per cent. of air is used. A three-burner is only \$7. On exhibition at F. E. Browne's, 314 South Spring.

See the paper refractories, No. 329 South Los Angeles street. Best in the market, and a third cheaper. Made at home.

Insurance agents and the public are invited to call at C. T. Paul's, No. 130 South Main street, and see the new oil gas stove, latest thing out.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union Telegraph office for Rev. David Hughes, Mr. Jasper Parise and Nellie Rafferty.

Lake Beach by the fast trains and elegant coaches of the Southern Pacific. Round trip, 50 cents on Saturdays and Sundays.

There were more accessions to the churches during the past week than ever before, the direct result of the Miller movement.

Ladies should call at C. F. Paul's, No. 130 South Main street and get a Jewel wame iron and a recipe for making waffles.

A. B. Chapman, #14 South Spring street, headquarters for the Jewell gas and gasoline stoves, also agent for the Weir stoves.

Dr. McLean, who visited the world's hopitals for three years, has resumed practice at No. 316 South Spring street.

In reply to "Subscriber's" query: It is stated that the nearest regular army barracks to Los Angeles is at San Diego.

Santa Barbara round trip, \$3.50; Ventura, \$3. Tickets sold every Saturday, good until Tuesday. A lovely ride.

A round trip, \$1. Single fare to all points on the Southern Pacific where the road trip can be made on the day.

San Pedro, 60 cents for round trip via the Southern Pacific on Saturdays and Sundays.

Dr. Carper's sarsaparilla—50c and \$1— is something to be kept in every house.

Launch at No. 228 South Broadway; rock bass, chicken pie, Bavarian cream.

The Board of Public Works will meet at the City Hall today at the usual hour.

Rustic Cafes: through trains on Sundays. Round trip, 50 cents.

Homemade strawberry shortcake at the Hollenbeck Cafe every day.

The finest fish cook on the Coast is at the Grand View Hotel, Catalina.

Notice the ad. of the Trabuco Gold Mining Company, page 1.

Hotel Arcadia, Santa Monica, is now open for the tourist season.

Cabinet photos, \$1.75 per dozen, 236 S. Main.

"Dewey's" \$5 cabinet photos reduced to \$3.50.

For Hot Air Furnaces go to F. E. Brown.

You will find fine if you use Dr. Carper's Sarsaparilla. Any druggist—50c and \$1.

Call for Fredericksburg Beer. It is pure and wholesome.

RAILROAD AFFAIRS.

More About the Southern Pacific Wharf Matter.

The Location of the Santa Monica Improvement Not Settled.

The New California Midland Road Headed This Way.

A Catechism for Southern Pacific Employees. Food Stealers Must Look Out—General and Local Notes.

An air of mystery and uncertainty surrounds the maneuvering of the Southern Pacific in this section. Though it is pretty well known what the company is doing, it is more difficult to determine what it is going to do in the near future. The Santa Monica matter is not at all settled yet and the location of the contemplated wharf and harbor is one of the uncertainties. The fact that the site at the mouth of Santa Monica Cañon had been abandoned, on account of the boulders on the ocean bed, has been published in the Times, together with the statement that the company would move further up the coast. It is learned that Harry LaMott, right-of-way agent for the Southern Pacific, has bonded for ten months a tract of eighteen acres belonging to Juan Marques, about two miles north of the old cañon. Before the ten months' limit has elapsed the engineers will have investigated the condition of the ocean bottom and determined for a certainty whether it is practicable to make the great improvement at the point which is at the mouth of the Santa Inez Cañon and fully as well situated as the abandoned site. It is probable, too, that the plans will be so far changed that a mole will be built in connection with a breakwater. No one seems to feel certain that a government appropriation will be secured for the harbor, but some inside influence will be brought to bear to obtain some indirect Federal help. A mole, for instance, could be constructed by making a designated spot a dumping place for vast quantities of stone, which it may be necessary to remove from some channel or other at the expense of the Government. The Southern Pacific Company is doubtless prepared to expend a large amount of money in the construction of a mole, which may be utilized as a nest-egg to good advantage. The harbor of Santa Monica is evidently a sure thing, but how soon it will be an accomplished fact is not so apparent.

THE NEW CALIFORNIA MIDLAND.

The Fresno Republican of Wednesday says: "For several days past a corps of surveyors have been in camp near the Kroeger schoolhouse, north of this city. Some of the party said that they were connected with the California Midland Railway Company, and that they were surveying the line from Stockton to Redfield. Yesterday morning they passed through the city going southerly and laid their stakes on M street. This has occasioned a good deal of surprise. The surveyors, on being asked as to the matter, said that they did not know what company they were working for and refused to give any information. The right of way through M street has not been asked by any railway company, and it is not likely that such a request would be granted as a steam railway through that thoroughfare would destroy that part of the city for residence purposes."

SCRAP HEAP.

T. H. Dusen, of the Burlington, went up to Sacramento last night to meet his wife on her return from a visit in the East.

H. E. Huntington has returned from the East and assumed the duties of his position at Fourth and Townsend streets.

The Union Pacific office on Spring street yesterday displayed a placard announcing the round trip rate to Chicago for the convention to be \$70.

The Southern Pacific's new 65-ton compound passenger engines, two of which left New Orleans Tuesday, will be used on the Salt Lake division between Ogden and Carson.

Superintendent J. A. Muir, of the Southern Pacific, has issued a circular cautioning agents and trainmen to look out for fellows who are inclined to steal fruit in large or small quantities from cars in transit. Stealing from loaded fruit cars must be discouraged.

A catechism comprising 181 questions about the new standard rules is being prepared in the Southern Pacific superintendent's office. Every employee of the road on this division will have these questions put to him and he must answer them or retire from the service.

PERSONALS.

M. L. Strauss and wife of Chicago are visiting in the city.

Mrs. W. S. Edwards of Calico, Cal., and Mrs. H. M. Edwards of New York are in the city and called at THE TIMES office yesterday.

Ed C. Waters, business manager of the New Era, published at Perris, is in the city and called at THE TIMES office yesterday.

Rev. J. S. Fisher and wife, parents of A. W. Fisher of the East Side, left for their summer home in the country early after a four weeks stay in Los Angeles.

J. M. Williams and wife of San Diego, Miss E. T. Torrey of Boston, Mr. and Mrs. L. Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hamilton of New York city are among the late arrivals at the Bellevue Terrace Hotel.

Charles F. Peck of Albany, N. Y., president of the American Labor Union, or the National Association of State Labor Commissioners, succeeded Carroll D. Wright, Jr. in the city, accompanied by Lester Bodine, first vice-president of the association and State Labor Commissioner of Colorado. Mr. Peck is a man of 50, and his wife is 45. He is the guest of friends here. Mr. Peck is a great admirer of Senator Hill and thinks the Democrats must nominate him if they expect to stand any chance of winning.

The prune crop in this locality will not be as large as was expected early in the season. The heavy rains of the 2d and 3d inst. caused a great deal of the fruit to fall. The crop will be heavier than last year, however.

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NOTHING has ever been produced like Winterilla for the skin.

FOR COLIC and pains in stomach use Lightning Fluid.

I ALWAYS keep a bottle of Moline on my dressing case.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

TYNDALL-OSTEN.

MILLINERY REDUCED.

By Reason of Being Overstocked Morris Stock of Millinery.

Flowers.

A few mounds of flowers: leaves and grasses sold about the 50c; now reduced to 10c.

A bunch of 12 large Marguerites..... 10c

A bunch long wreath of 45 daisies in all colors, worth 50c; now reduced to..... 10c

A bunch long wreath of double poppies with petals, regular price all over, 50c;

A bunch long wreath of 45 flowers with petals, made handsomely complete trimming for misses' hats, considered cheap at 50c; every color reduced to..... 10c

A lot of children's school hats, some worth 50c; some 10c; all now at..... 10c

A lot of children's hats and black sold for 50c at other places, now reduced to..... 10c

A few ladies' large brim hats..... 10c

A large brim hat, with a wide band, worth 50c to \$1; all reduced to..... 10c

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